Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

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Whereas, Margaret O. Lumsden of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninetieth Birthday with a special celebration on April 13, 2008, at Essex Methodist Church; and

Whereas, on April 14, 1918, in Murray, Kentucky, God brought a special gift to Buren and Virginia Overbey with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Margaret, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Margaret Lumsden will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her marriage to Harold Q. Lumsden (deceased) and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, Margaret Lumsden has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include two children, Mary Jane Twaddell and Stanley H. Lumsden; five grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Margaret Lumsden further distinguished herself by supporting her family's educational pursuits and by serving in various positions for in her community, Essex Methodist Church, and the Extension Club; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 90, Margaret Lumsden is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Margaret Lumsden at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri nonagenarian Margaret O. Lumsden, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by	y
	Representative Terry Swinger
	District No. 162
Ninety-fo do certify	ton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, urth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, that the above is a true and correct copy of House in No. 1339, adopted March 31, 2008.
Rod Jettor	n, Speaker